

## Section 401 Water Quality Certification Public Notice

The Central Coast Water Board is currently reviewing an application for the following project for water quality certification under Section 401 of the Clean Water Act. We encourage public comments on the proposed work, which will be considered in the decision on certification. You may submit written comments on this project to:

Central Coast Regional Water Quality Control Board

895 Aerovista Place, Suite 101

San Luis Obispo, CA 93401

Attention: 401 Coordinator

OR

centralcoast@waterboards.ca.gov

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<b>Project Applicant</b>	Santa Cruz Port District- Marian Olin
<b>Applicant's Agent</b>	None
<b>Project Name</b>	Santa Cruz Harbor East Access Road Sinkhole Repair
<b>Receiving Water</b>	Santa Cruz Harbor, Monterey Bay
<b>City/County</b>	Santa Cruz/Santa Cruz
<b>Public Notice</b>	September 2, 2015 – September 23, 2015
<b>Project Description</b>	<p>The purpose of this project is to repair a public safety hazard by filling an existing void, thus preventing further erosion of the embankment area and damage to the adjacent roadway and utilities.</p> <p>The project activities include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Excavating the void, beneath and east of the bridge supports of the east access road;</li><li>• Containing the excavated area with a polyethylene liner to prevent cement materials from entering the water, as well to prevent seawater from entering the intrusion area;</li><li>• Placing rebar within the excavated area;</li><li>• Pouring approximately 40 cubic yards of concrete into the void to form a 5' by 31' block; and</li><li>• Placing and compacting approximately 50 cubic yards of backfill atop the embankment.</li></ul> <p>No compensatory mitigation is planned for this project.</p> <p>Santa Cruz Port District filed a Categorical Exemption on May 5, 2015.</p>